

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:780
ANSWERED ON:27.11.2006
SETTING UP OF BIO AGENT LABORATORY
Pathak Shri Brajesh

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether any proposal to set up Bio-Agent Laboratory has been received from the State Governments;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise; and
- (c) the time by which it is likely to be set up?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI KANTILAL BHURIA)

(a) to (c): Funds allocated for establishment of State Bio-control Laboratories by the State Governments during the 10th Plan had already been exhausted before commencement of the current financial year. However, State Governments are free to establish Bio-control Laboratories under other schemes like Technology Mission on Cotton, Macro Management, National Horticulture Mission, etc. Bio-control Laboratories can also be established through NGOs for which Central assistance is available. A Statement indicating the location of State Bio-control Laboratories already established / sanctioned through Central assistance is annexed.

Annexure

Funds released for establishment of State Bio-control Laboratories.

S. No. State No. of Laboratory Location

1. Andhra Pradesh 1 Nidadavole
2. Assam 2 Guwahati, Nagaon
3. Andaman & 1 Daddo, Port Blair
Nicobar Islands
4. Arunachal
Pradesh 1 Naharlagum, Itanagar
5. Bihar 1 Methapur, Patna
6. Chhattisgarh 1 Bilaspur
7. Goa 1 Ela Farm
8. Gujarat 2 Gandhinagar, Surat
9. Haryana 2 Sirsa, Karnal
10. Himachal
Pradesh 2 Palampur, Hamirpur
11. Jammu & Kashmir 1 Srinagar
12. Jharkhand 1 Ranchi
13. Kerala 2 Mannuty, Thrissur; Trivendrum
14. Karnataka 1 Gulbarga
15. Lakshadweep 1 Andrott Islands
- 16.. Madhya Pradesh 1 Bhopal
17. Maharashtra 2 Aurangabad, Akola
18. Mizoram 1 Nelhbawih
19. Manipur 1 Mantripukhari
20. Meghalaya 1 Upper Shillong
21. Nagaland 1 Medziphema, Kohima
22. Orissa 1 Bhubaneswar
23. Punjab 1 Mansa
24. Pondicherry 1 KVK Kurumbpett
25. Rajasthan 1 Durgapura
26. Sikkim 1 Tadong, Gangtok
27. Tamil Nadu 1 Vinayapuram
28. Tripura 1 Arundhati Nagar, Agarttala
29. Uttar Pradesh 1 Muradabad
30. Uttaranchal 2 Haldwani, Dehradun
31. West Bengal 1 Tollyganj

Total 38

